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For: IMAGE PICKUP DEVICE, IMAGING APPARATUS CONTAINING THE SAME

AND CONTROL METHOD THEREOF

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

In response to an Office Action dated July 3, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper; and

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.